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# ROOSEVELT WILL BE CANDIDATE

### Makes Public Reply to Seven Republican Governors.

## MATTER RESTS WITH PEOPLE

**Hopes that Voters Will Be Given Opportunity to Express Their Preference Through Direct Primaries, If Possible.**

New York, Feb. 26. — Theodore Roosevelt's reply to the seven Republican governors is given out for publication.

In response to their inquiry he states that he will accept the Republican nomination for the presidency if it is tendered him by the national convention of the party. His letter follows:

"New York, Feb. 24, 1912.

"Gentlemen—I deeply appreciate your letter and I realize to the full the heavy responsibility it puts upon me, expressing as it does the carefully considered convictions of the men elected by popular vote to stand as the heads of government in their several states

"I absolutely agree with you that this matter is not one to be decided with any reference to the personal preference of any man, but purely from the standpoint of the interests of the people as a whole. I will accept the nomination for president if it is tendered to me, and I will adhere to this decision until the convention has expressed its preference.

"One of the chief principles for which I stood and for which I now stand, and which I have always endeavored and always shall endeavor to reduce to action, is the genuine rule of the people; and therefore I hope that so far as possible the people may be given the chance, through direct primaries, to express their preference as to who shall be the nominee of the Republican presidential convention.

"Very truly yours,

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

The following is the letter from the governors:

"Chicago, Feb. 10, 1912.

"We, the undersigned Republican governors, assembled for the purpose of considering what will best insure the continuation of the Republican party as a useful agency of good government, declare it our belief, after a careful investigation of the facts, that a large majority of the Republican voters of the country favor your nomination, and a majority of the people favor your election, as the next president of the United States.

"We believe that your candidacy will insure success in the next campaign. We believe that you represent, as no other man represents, those principles and policies upon which we must appeal for a majority of the votes of the American people, and which, in our opinion, are necessary for the happiness and prosperity of the country .

"We believe that in view of this public demand you should soon declare whether, if the nomination for the presidency comes to you unsolicited and unsought, you will accept it.

"In submitting this request we are not considering your personal interests. We do not regard it as proper to consider either the interests or the preference of any man as regards the nomination for the presidency. We are expressing our sincere belief and best judgment as to what is demanded of you in the interests of the people as a whole. And we feel that you would be unresponsive to a plain public duty if you should decline to accept the nomination coming as the voluntary expression of the wishes of a majority of the Republican voters of the United States through the action of their delegates in the next national convention.

"Yous truly,

"William E. Glasscock, West Virginia.

"Chester H. Aldrich, Nebraska.

"Robert P. Bass, New Hampshire.

"Joseph M. Carey, Wyoming.

"Chase S. Osborn, Michigan.

"W. R. Stubbs, Kansas.

"Herbert S. Hadley, Missouri."

## SLAIN WITH AN AXE

**Jealous Boarder Chops Open Head of His Landlady.**

Philadelphia, Feb. 26.—Struck by an axe in the hands of a boarder while sleeping at the side of her eight-year-old granddaughter, Mrs. Georgiana Gilliland, was murdered by her head being cut open in Camden, N. J.

William Graedwell, the boarder, was placed under arrest and admitted his guilt. Asked the cause of the murder he said that he was "insanely jealous of her."

**Banks in Omaha Merged.**

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 26. — It is announced that arrangements have been made for the consolidation of Omaha National bank and the Corn Exchange National bank under the name of the Omaha National.

**Julia Marlowe Quits Hospital.**

Washington, Feb. 26. — Julia Marlowe, in private ilfe Mrs. E. H. Sothern, departed for New York, starting for the hospital, where an operation had been performed on her throat.


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THEODORE ROOSEVELT

## PROF. WHITE FURTHER DEFENDS HIS POSITION

Editor Daily Press:

Dear Sir—My attention has been called to two articles by Professor Lathers in recent issues of your paper, criticising portions of the lecture which I gave in Ypsilanti on January 25th.

In the case of the Madison Gas and Electric Co. the Railroad Commission of Wisconsin after most thorough investigation decided that the owners of the plant were entitled to a reasonable return on a valuation of $947,000. Professor Lathers thinks it should be about $400,000 less. It is entirely for the people of Ypsilanti to decide whether they prefer to accept the expert judgment of the Railroad Commission or of Professor Lathers.

Professor Lathers states that I was mistaken in the price of gas at Racine which he estimates averages 85 cents per thousand feet. The price of gas is stated in the report of the Commission dated January 27, 1911, as $1.20 per thousand cubic feet for illuminating gas and $1.00 per thousand for fuel gas, with lower rates for consumers using 10,000 feet per month or more. Any dividends which the Racine Gas Co. declared in the period covered by the report were earned by sale of gas at this rate, and not as stated by Professor Lathers "on a price for gas ranging about 85 cents." The recently introduced rate has no bearing on a discussion of income accruing before it was put into effect. It may be worth noting that Professor Lathers disagrees with the experts of the Wisconsin Commission on the question of the probable average price for gas under the new rate. He places it as 85 cents, while the Commission estimated it from careful analysis of sales for the preceding two years at slightly over 95 cents.

I thought that I sufficiently emphasized in my lecture the fact that the Commission held that the gas plant in Racine was larger and more expensive than it should have been. I did not specifically mention the high pressure line to Kenosha because that was built only five years ago in an effort by the Racine Company to profitably utilize its large plant. The additional expense incurred was only $75,000, and not "between two and three hundred thousand dollars," as estimated by Professor Lathers. The figure to which Professor Lathers refers was an apportionment of investment which not only took into account the additional expense incurred, but also charged a proportion of the original prior investment in Racine to the cost of delivering gas to Kenosha.

These are technical points which would have wearied the hearers and which could not have assisted them to solve their home problem.

May I state again what I tried to state clearly in my lecture—that my purpose in presenting any data on this subject was not to take any position for or against municipal ownership, but was merely to indicate the facts which must always be taken into account in figuring costs and profits. The one disinterested body of men which has investigated these questions most carefully is the Railroad Commission of Wisconsin. They have exhaustively and impartially studied the conditions in two cities—Madison and Racine. The tabulations which I presented in my lecture were all photographic reproductions from their reports on these plants.

Very truly yours,

ALFRED H. WHITE.

## HUNTINGTON WILL SPEAK ON PALESTINE

Thursday evening, February 29, instead of tonight, Ellsworth Huntington, Professor of Geography at Yale University, will give the last number on the Normal Lecture Course. His subject will be "The Untamed Borders of the Syrian Desert or Palestine as Seen by the Geographer."

Professor Huntington has done some of the most notable work of the present generation in his study of the old civilizations of Asia. He is an authority of the highest rank on the subject which he is to discuss and is a delightful speaker.

Professor Jefferson of the Normal College who has heard him speak says: "He is a great scholar and an interesting speaker. It will be the treat of a life time to hear him on this subject."

Professor E. A. Strong says: "I shall be more pleased to hear Professor Huntington than any other speaker on the excellent course offered this year."

Professor Huntington is on his way to Mexico where he is employed for the rest of the year by the Carnegie institute in a study of the conditions of life in the ancient Aztec civilization.

The university has availed itself of his visit to Ypsilanti to secure him for two lectures at Ann Arbor. So that these three lectures will be given while he is en route to Mexico.

### THREE DRUNKS ARRAIGNED BEFORE LOCAL COURT THIS MORNING

Three Ypsilanti men who were arrested Sunday on a charge of drunkenness were arraigned before the local justice this morning and all pleaded guilty. Fred Wheeler was allowed to go on payment of costs, $3.60, and George Burges and James O'Niel each paid $4.60.

## JAUREZ WAITING TO BE ATTACKED

**Rebel Force in Camp Twelve Miles South.**

## WILL TRAIN CANNON ON TOWN

**Shots to Be Fired Parallel with Rio Grande River in Order that They May Fall on American Soil.**

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 26.—Juarez will not be attacked for several hours at least.

The rebels camped at Bauche, twelve miles south, are only about 700 in number, and Inez Salazar, their leader, has not yet reached the camp. No attack will be made, they declared, until he comes up and bring more men.

The rebel chieftain in command declares that they will first demand the surrender of Juarez and that if the surrender is not made then they mean to attack. They have cannon with them, he says, and will plant the cannon northwest of Juarez and fire down the river parallel with El Paso, just as Madero did, so that none of the shots will fall in El Paso. If any of the shots fall in El Paso, it is said, they will be from the rifles or rapid fire guns of the defenders of the town.

The leaders say that it is their intention to take Juarez and hold it as a port of entry and then march southward to Chihuahua, Torreon and eventually Mexico City, if their revolution does not triumph before they reach the national capital. He declares that the men in arms south of here in Chihuahua, in the Laguna district and elsewhere will join them in their march against Mexico City and that it will soon be a formidable army.

### ASKED TO ADDRESS MEN

**Peculiar Distinction Accorded Miss Jane Addams of Chicago.**

Chicago, Feb. 26.—The national vice crusade, which has centered in Chicago, is to take a new and spectacular form in connection with the Men and Religion Forward movement, it was announced.

Miss Jane Addams of Hull House has been asked to make a frank statement of the social evil and a man's responsibility therefor to the Christian

MISS JANE ADDAMS.

men of America, through the conservation congress of the organization, to be held in New York city, April 19-24.

The only woman speaker on the program will be Miss Addams, and she will be, it is announced, the only woman present at any of the sessions.

### COLOMBIAN INCIDENT CLOSED

**Minister Turns Over Office at Washington to First Secretary.**

Washington, Feb. 26. — The Colombian incident was closed when the state department received a letter from the Columbian minister, Pedro Nel Ospina, saying he had turned the legation affairs over to Senor Don Roberto MacDouall, first secretary, who will act as charge d'affaires

Similar word was received from American Minister Dubois at Bogota, which in addition said that the American legation there had been officially informed of Minister Ospina's recall.

### FINDS RUBBER SUBSTITUTE

**Young Russian Scientist Has Product Cheaper and Just as Good.**

Moscow, Russia, Feb. 26. — Dr. Ostromislensky, a young professor in the technical school of chemistry, has discovered a process of making a substitute for rubber. The elasticity and resiliency of the substitute are described as being equal to that of rubber.

The new rubber is selling at 31 cents a pound. The price of rubber in the English market ranges from $1,10 to $1.30 per pound.

# ADOPTED INFANT BEATEN TO DEATH BY FIENDISH GUARDIANS

### WILDSMITHS ARE ACCUSED OF MOST TERRIBLE CASE OF BRUTALITY EVER KNOWN IN YPSILANTI

## BODY OF BABE A MASS OF BRUISES

### Woman Claims Husband Did It Because Child Could Not Stand Straight By a Chair—Infant Was Also Starved

Kalamazoo, Mich., Feb. 26—(Special)—Bert Wildsmith, who is wanted in Ypsilanti on charge of fatally beating an adopted infant, was taken into custody by local officers here at 11 o'clock this morning and will be taken to the Ann Arbor county jail this afternoon.

The most terrible case of brutality that is recorded in Ypsilanti was revealed when the dead body of a year-old infant, recently adopted by Bert Wildsmith and Frances Wildsmith, 214 Oakwood avenue, was examined Sunday and found to be almost a solid mass of cuts and bruises resulting from inhuman beating.

The baby died Saturday night in the Wildsmith house, but not until it had undergone the cruelest suffering. Its body had been beaten till the flesh stood up in ridges and the whole body was black and blue with bruises. One little arm had been broken and one shoulder dislocated. This awful deed was the work of Bert Wildsmith or Frances Wildsmith, or both, and the record of these two characters is so exceedingly unsavory that both are believed to be equally involved in the awful crime.

The woman is in jail in Ann Arbor and the man was found in Kalamazoo at eleven o'clock this morning. That city was his former home and the officers, notified of the need of the law for him, easily recognized and detained him. He will be brought back to Ann Arbor this afternoon at three o'clock and this evening at 7:30 both the man and the woman will be brought to Ypsilanti for the inquest.

**Have Adopted Three Babies.**

It was an adopted bady that these Wildsmiths beat till death released it, and this is the third they have in turn adopted. Fondness for children is the motive Mrs. Wildsmith has the hardihood to put out as a reason; but the more likely supposition is that some recompense from the unfortunates involved, is the motive and that the abuse begins when the remuneration ceases. The first baby they took was a girl, whom they kept for a few months and then (so they claim) returned to Detroit. Shortly after this they selected a little boy for their second victim, also from Detroit. This little creature Mrs. Wildsmith would leave alone all day while she went out working and even all night at times. The neighbors appealed to Chief Gage and he advised County Agent Childs of the condition. What Mr. Childs contributed in the way of ameliorating the condition of things was to recommend Chief Gage to tell the Wildsmith woman to take the child back where it came from. There the matter seemed to rest until finally, as a result unquestionably of abuse and neglect, the child fell ill. Thereupon she hurriedly returned the child to Detroit, where, an hour or so after arriving, it died.

Last October the Wildsmiths appeared with another baby, which they said they had had all summer. They had been away from Ypsilanti since spring, at which time Mrs. Wildsmith had threatened to divorce her husband but had relented and taken him back and then had been in Ann Arbor for the summer. This was a boy and no complaints were made against them for ill usage of him till Thursday.

**Beat Infant Two Hours.**

Thursday morning at nine o'clock Mrs. Wildsmith went to a neighbor's to call Chief Gage. She told others that Mr. Wildsmith had been pounding the baby two hours and a half. However this does not seem to be what she telephoned the police chief. She told him, he says, that Wildsmith had been beating her, but did not mention the baby. Inasmuch as the chief had had repeated calls from her concerning their vulgar petty quarrels and had always found her as much in fault as the husband, he told her to fight it out, judging it to be only another family brawl.

Nothing further was heard from the Wildsmiths and Chief Gage supposed the trouble had ended as other quarrels had ended until Saturday night when a doctor reported that the infant was dead and had not died a natural death.

According to Mrs. Wildsmith her husband had left her shortly after she had called for an officer Thursday and the baby had fallen into such serious condition that her fear was aroused and so on Saturday, when she dared not wait longer she solicited the aid of her brother, George Borton, who lives near her and asked him to call a physician.

**Couldn't Get Doctor to Come.**

The city physician was not in. The second doctor had been ill, he said, and did not think it feasible to venture out, the call to the third was not answered, but the fourth attempt was successful. Borton said the baby was in spasms and they could not see that it breathed. The doctor came and found the little one dead, though its body was yet warm. The child died at the Borton home, where Mrs. Wildsmith had taken it when she decided she needed a doctor. The physician gave her permission to take the child to her own home to lay it out.

The matter was referred to the authorities by the physician and the body taken to Jay Moore's undertaking rooms Sunday morning. Prosecuting Attorney George Burke was called from Ann Arbor and he and Sheriff Stark took the Wildsmith woman back with them to Ann Arbor, where she is being held, pending investigation, in the county jail.

A postmorten examination was held Sunday and the shocking discovery was made that one arm of this tiny child was broken, one shoulder was dislocated, and further than that even, the body was a mass of bruises. Parts of the body were raw from being struck. It had indeed been beaten, not with the bare hand, but with something so hard that long ridges had formed.

**Says Husband Did It.**

The woman claimed she had fed the little creature just before calling for a doctor but an examination of the stomach showed it absolutely empty.

Mrs. Wildsmith claims this awful work was her husband's. The officers' theory is quite different. They consider her as deeply and guiltily responsible as he. It has been her aim to get rid of Wildsmith and to further this she has been employing every ruse she could think of to have him arrested, they say and it is their belief that when Wildsmith left her after a family quarrel Thursday she conceived the monstrous idea of beating the baby and loading the offense onto him.

Her utter stolidity is such that she sat in her cell Sunday afternoon and calmly rehearsed the whole story as she chooses to retail it. She states that Wildsmith had tried to make this year-old baby stand up by a chair. When it was so weak it could not, he had pounded it for nearly three hours. She claims to have fled at this point to a neighbor's to phone for help.

The woman's record for perjury is such that it is impossible to discern what portion of her story is true, further than that the child was really beaten by either Wildsmith or herself and that the charge against them will be murder in the first degree.

**People Are Indignant.**

There is a feeling of indignation that such people as these Wildsmiths should ever have been entrusted with a child of any age in view of their miserable record.

Mrs. Wildsmith was arrested in Kalamazoo three years ago with her husband on a charge of larceny and each served 90 days. Fifteen years ago she was arrested for assault with intent to do great bodily harm upon a boy of fourteen and got three and a half years in the Detroit house of correction. In Stanton she was arrested for beating her own two-and-a-half year old child born of a former marriage. She served two and a half years for that. The child later died. Wildsmith was arrested for perjury Dec. 23, 1910, and bound over to the March term. On October 19, 1910, he got 65 days for stealing pears. She was arrested on Oct. 20, or the next day, for larceny, but the case was discharged. Again he served 10 days for assault. She on Nov. 25, 1911, was fined $10 and costs, $5.25, for larceny.

These, then, are the characters to whom babies have been repeatedly given over. It is claimed they have been secured at a laying-in-hospital kept by Mrs. Marr at 31 Henry St., Detroit.

MAX ZU FUERSTENBERG

German Prince Is Known as Member of Money Trust.

## MONEY TRUST INQUIRY

**National House Votes, 270 to 8, to Hold One.**

**Question Whether Hearing Will Be Whitewash Rests with the Banking Committee.**

Washington, Feb. 26.—An investigation of the money trust on the conservative lines prescribed by the Democratic caucus was ordered by the house of representatives.

Whether the inquiry will be a whitewash, as predicted by the Progressive Republicans, or a thorough airing of Wall street methods of controlling the nation's credit will be determined by the Democratic majority of the banking and currency committee, to which the matter was committed.

The attempt to squelch the investigation completely was defeated by publicity, which may in the end also prevent the skillful application of the whitewash brush.

The compromise resolution directing the investigation was adopted by a vote of 270 to 8 The votes against the investigation were cast by the following Republicans:

Austin, Tennessee; Gillett, Massachusetts; Thistlewood, Illinois; Cannon, Illinois; Henry, Connecticut; Tilson, Connecticut; Dalzell, Pennsylvania; Higgins, Connecticut.

### STRIKE CRISIS TOMORROW

**English Mine Operators Not Inclined to Confer with Men.**

London, Feb. 26.—Tuesday will be a fateful day in the coal strike situation. The miners' federation will meet in London on that day to determine whether they shall postpone the strike ordered for March 1.

Meanwhile the government is doing its utmost to bring the mine owners to consent to negotiate with the miners over the demand for a minimum wage. The owners are not inclined to agree, contending that the struggle is bound to come sooner or later, and it might as well come now. They apparently do not believe a concession of this demand would be certain to bring about a lasting peace.

### EIGHT ON 50-CENT INCOME

**Four Adults and Four Children Live on Meager Earnings.**

Jeffersonville, Ind., Feb. 26.—When Henry F. Dilger, probation officer, went to Henryville to investigate an alleged charge of neglect against Benjamin Burke, whose family was said to be starving, he found eight people, including four adults, trying to live on an income of 50 cents a day, Burke's earnings.

The family included his wife's infant, her father, stepmother and three stepbrothers and sisters. The step relatives are from Vermillion county and will be returned.


**CARD OF THANKS.**

Mrs. Frances Baxter wishes to thank neighbors and friends for their kindness in her late sad bereavement, also the singers and those who sent flowers.

**COKE.**

I have a car of crushed coke on track to sell at $6 delivered. Two cars Hocking Valley, $4 delivered.

J. E. ENGLE,

Both Phones 188. 221


### START RELIGION MOVEMENT.

Ann Arbor, Feb. 26—The Men and Religion campaign started Sunday in the different churches of the city. There will be a banquet for 300 at the new armory at 6 o'clock this evening. Bishop C. D. Williams of Detroit will be one of the speakers.

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**THE PEOPLE OF YPSILANTI CANNOT AFFORD TO GRANT ANY GAS COMPANY ANY FRANCHISE IT WILL ACCEPT.**

**THE PEOPLE SHOULD OWN AND OPERATE THE GAS BUSINESS FOR THEIR OWN PERPETUAL BENEFIT, AND NOT PERMIT A NON-RESIDENT PRIVATE CORPORATION, FOR REVENUE ONLY, TO TRAFFIC IN THEIR NECESSITIES.**

One of the signs of the times evidencing an awakened civic consciousness is seen in the organization by prominent women of the Political Equality and Civic League of the St. Joseph's Episcopal church in Detroit a time ago. The women of Los Angeles and in other parts of California have shown the rest of the country a wholesome example in a wholesome participation in the creation and maintenance of a more wholesome political atmosphere, in which a more wholesome and virile citizenship is to prosper in the community.

If the women are to receive a square deal themselves and desire to participate in securing a square deal for their families, they must needs acquaint themselves with what constitutes a square deal, and time spent in the study and discussion of the living, throbbing themes of today, which are vitally and permanently the happiness and the welfare of the home, over which woman is to preside, is almost as important as a commensurate intelligence upon matters of domestic and culinary science.

To have a home and to know how to secure it, by knowing what constitutes its enemies and how to right them, certainly goes consistently hand in hand with knowing how to put that home in order after it is secured.

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## PREFERS BABIES TO PIGS.

**Iowa Will Offer Prizes at Next State Fair.**

Iowa has officially decided that the production of babies is of greater importance than that of pigs.

At the next state fair the board of agriculture will offer $50 as a prize for the best baby, whereas the pig, with all the perfection he can display, may draw only $25.

Dimples, curly hair, the color of eyes and pretty clothes will win nothing for the competing infants. A stout calf will count for more than a handsome face, and a lusty yell, displaying lung development, more than a musical gurgle. This physical competition of youngsters is a scheme to make the Iowa baby stand before the world as the standard of physical strength. It was devised by the Iowa mothers' clubs.

## SIGHT GIVEN TO DYING MAN.

**Harrington, While Ill, Longed to See Members of Family Again.**

With tears of joy streaming from eyes to which sight had been restored after eight years of blindness, Mortimer Harrington, seventy-five years old, died at Malden, Mass. For weeks during his last illness Harrington prayed continuously that he might see the members of his family once more before he died. A few hours before his death he suddenly sat up in bed and cried: "I see! I see!"

The family gathered around, and one by one the dying man recognized his loved ones. The respite from his blindness was brief, but Harrington died with a smile on his face.

## TABOO ON THE WORD "HELLO"

**Pere Marquette Wants Courtesy In Telephone Conversations.**

The use of the word "hello" has been tabooed in telephone conversations along the line of the Pere Marquette railroad.

In commenting on courtesy among telephone users the Pere Marquette Monthly Magazine says:

"It is obviously true that that which is the correct thing to do in a face to face conversation also is correct in telephone conversation. Any one but has to apply the rules of courtesy prescribed long before the telephone was thought of to know the proper manners for telephone usage."

**Value of History.**

Old wrongs are so hard to root up that every man sometimes becomes impatient and indignant and rebellious, except the man who knows and has long pondered in the very slow ascent of human society to every higher level that it has reached. Historical knowledge is got only by considerable labor. Any good man who loves his fellows, when he looks out over the world and sees it as it is, is pretty certain at times to accept some revolutionary plan unless he have a pretty good historical perspective.—World's Work.

# STATE NEWS

## SEEK HUSBAND OF TWO

**Authorities Want Henry Drake for Bigamy and Damage Suit.**

Cadillac, Mich., Feb. 26.—Mrs. Henry Drake, who was deserted by her husband some time ago, can "get even" with him if she desires to and will correspond with Attorney Clyde W. Ketcham of Kalamazoo. The Drakes resided in Cadillac some years ago. He became dissatisfied and three years ago left her and their two children. Eighteen months later Drake married Mrs. William Tritt of Cass county, whose husband had been accidentally killed in a power house at Kalamazoo operated by the Michigan United railways. Mrs. Tritt, or Mrs. Drake, started suit against the company for $25,000 for the death of her husband, and about the same time became aware that Drake had never secured a divorce from his Cadillac wife, as he had represented to her. The two separated and Drake disappeared.

The suit against the company is held in abeyance awaiting the finding of Drake. If Drake is found he will be arrested for bigamy. Upon his finding the amount of damages resulting to the widow of Tritt can be better placed, for if Drake was not her legal husband, then she sustained greater loss through the death of her rightful husband in that she has no one to provide for her.

Since Drake and his wife No. 2 parted, no trace of him can be found.

## ORDERED WOOD; WON'T PAY

**Royal Oak School District Has Lawsuit on Its Hands.**

Royal Oak, Mich., Feb. 26. — The case of John McClure vs. the School District has been postponed until March 4. Last July the school district, at the annual meeting voted to purchase 19 cords of wood from John McClure, then director of the school board. McClure alleges he stated in the meeting that as a member of the school board he could have no dealings with them. He claims this was overruled.

At any rate, the wood was purchased and hauled to the schoolhouse by McClure. When McClure presented his bill to William Addis, treasurer of the school district, payment was refused by Addis on "legal grounds."

## WOMAN JUMPS HER BAIL

**Mrs. Florence Smith, Charged with Bigamy, Leaves Kazoo.**

Kalamazoo, Mich., Feb. 26.—When the time for the preliminary hearing of Mrs. Florence Smith arrived the alleged bigamist did not appear in court and an investigation showed that she had suddenly left with her latest husband. She was released a few days ago on $500 bai lfurnished by Peter Sliter, a meat dealer. Officers found that she had sold all of her furnishings and left Thursday in company with her latest husband.

Mrs. Smith is charged with illegally marrying three men during the last year. She is forty-four years old, while her latest husband is only twenty-four.

## COAL TO BE CONFISCATED

**Battle Creek Executive Announces Drastic Steps.**

Battle Creek, Mich., Feb. 26.—In an effort to relieve the serious coal famine which exists here Mayor Thomas Zelinsky notified the state railroad commission that unless the railroads deliver coal in this city within a few hours, the city will confiscate such coal as reaches Battle Creek enroute to other points.

On being warned that such action would be illegal, the mayor replied: "Illegal or not, it will be done in a crisis."

## ENGINE RUNS INTO HOME

**Grand Trunk Locomotive Leaves Track at Battle Creek.**

Battle Creek, Mich., Feb. 26. — Derailed by the breaking of a tire on one of its drive wheels, a Grand Trunk Western switch engine plunged into the residence of Dane Kowry, here, demolishing the dwelling and wrecking the locomotive. Mrs. Kowry was seriously injured while her three children, aged from one to four years, were unscratched.

**Coroner's Jury Blames Railroad.**

Kalamazoo, Mich., Feb. 26.—Declaring that the G. R. & I. Railroad company did not take even ordinary precautions for the protection of the passenger train that was wrecked at Vicksburg Wednesday, a coroner's jury blames the railroad for the death of Brakeman Sipes. The jury held that the accident was due to insufficient orders given by the railroad company to the freight crew.

**Charred Remains Identified.**

Escanaba, Mich., Feb. 26.—The charred body found in the ruins of a burned shack on the Ford River road has been identified as the remains of August Svelander of this city, formerly employed in a furniture store. Svelander had been drinking heavily of late and left the city to work in a camp.

**Special Legislative Session.**

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 26.—The legislature assembled today in special session called to enact a presidential primary law.

## FORMER SUPERIOR MAN DEAD

**GEORGE DOLBEE DIES AT HOME ON DIX AVENUE IN RETROIT.**

George Dolbee, formerly of Superior township, died Friday night at his home in Detroit, 696 Dix avenue at ten o'clock. He has been foreman of the Baker street car barns, for six or eight years. He leaves a wife, two brothers, Nelson Dolbee of this vicinity, and Burt Dolbee, and a sister, Mrs. Chris Reimer of Los Angeles. The funeral was held today from his late residence, with interment at Monroe.

## BIG GIRLS' MEET ARRANGED

**INTERESTING EVENTS PROMISE UNUSUAL MERIT FOR ANNUAL PERFORMANCE.**

Arrangements for the girls' indoor meet at the Normal gymnasium are nearly perfected, and the affair promises to be of particular interest and merit this season.

The judges are to be Miss Edith Riley, who has the physical training work in the central high school, Detroit; Miss Florence Kirkley, supervisor of physical training in Toledo, Ohio; and Miss Cassandra Hale, physical director in the Milwaukee Normal school. Miss Lotta Broadbridge of the McMillan high school in Detroit will referee the basket ball game.

## PLAN A SINGLE ACT FARCE

**LITERARY CLUB LADIES WILL ENTERTAIN FRIENDS AT STARKWEATHER.**

The Ladies' Literary Club will on Wednesday at Starkweather Hall at 2:30 present a bright little one-act farce called "Ice on parle francais." A few invited guests have been asked to witness the play along with the members of the club. Those assuming parts are Mrs. R. Clyde Ford, Mrs. W. L. Kishlar, Mrs. F. U. Quillin, Mrs. H. B. Lewis, Mrs. Louise Humphrey, Mrs. Fred Wilbur and Mrs. Atwood McAndrew. The play was written by Thomas Williams.

## SALINE LINE OPEN AGAIN

**D., J. & C. WORKMEN OUT FIFTEEN HOURS ON SNOW PLOW.**

A. D. VanZandt of Detroit, superintendent of the D., J. & C. Ry., was in the city Friday looking after the interests of the line. At 12:30 in the afternoon he, in company with a number of the officials and photographers, left on a car to open up the road to Saline which had been blocked with snow drifts since the severe storm earlier in the week. They succeeded in clearing a way by means of the snow plow after a number of interesting experiences. The party reached Ypsilanti on the return trip at three o'clock Saturday morning after an absence of 15 hours.

**YPSI PEOPLE HAVE A DISAGREEABLE STORM EXPERIENCE**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Joslyn, in attempting to go to Almont to attend the funeral of Mrs. Joslyn's uncle, Isaac Beach, came to close quarters with the blizzard that has been raging in these parts. They started Wednesday morning at 8 a. m. and did not get into Port Huron till 7:30 at night, the storm catching them worst between Detroit and Port Huron. The funeral party had come on from New York City on time but on the Pere Marquette road out of Port Huron six miles they ran into a snow bank 12 feet high. Here they stayed from Wednesday night till Friday morning when they were brought back to Port Huron. With two engines and a snow plow they started out again Friday night to try to reach Almont. In Port Huron not a wheel on the railroad nor the trolley lines turned from Wednesday morning till Friday night.

**MRS. PEOCOCK'S RECITAL DEFINITELY ANNOUNCED FOR WEDNESDAY EVENING**

Mrs. Eleanor Hazard Peocock's recital in the faculty recital course has been definitely arranged for Wednesday evening, Feb. 28. Miss Mary Dickinson will play all the accompaniments. The program is to be particularly charming. It will consist of folk songs and an aria besides other numbers of like interest.

For a sprain you will find Chamberlain's Liniment excellent. It allays the pain, removes the soreness, and soon restores the parts to a healthy condition. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by all dealers.

# DOWN IN PANAMA

**Unexplored Country of the San Blas Indians.**

**Mysterious Land Forbidden to White Men Peopled by Savage and Warlike Natives, Where No One Dares Go.**

New York.—"Looking for the smoking room, hombre?" asked the comfortable looking old gentleman in the white linen tuxedo, according to Panama correspondent. The uncomfortable looking young man in white flannels shook his head.

"I'm looking for the way out," he replied. "This isn't Panama; it's Dupont Circle, Washington, D. C."

Within the 10th infantry band pounded out "Our Director," while bronze engineers, soldiers of fortune and once proud naval lieutenants begged pupils of the zone high school for half an extra. Estimate the distance between the awkwardest fourteen-year old and the local Mrs. Hawksbee and you can figure out how far the young North American in white flannels found himself from the center of the stage he holds so firmly in musical comedy.

"Next time I come down here I'll bring a dress suit," he said.

"They always do, the second time," said the old gentleman soothingly. "Sit down and cool off. Ten years ago we danced in pajamas and watched the government revolve every twenty-four hours, but now we're nice and civilized."

"My son," added the gray haired isthmian, "I've heard that farewell romance and last frontier wish since before you were weaned. But there are plenty of last frontiers in this world that will last a good while and you're sitting on one of them right now.

"The country I mean lies partly in the republic of Panama, partly in the republic of Colombia, and doesn't give a d— for either of them. It begins within thirty miles of where we are sitting and runs for 400 miles or so down into South America. Just how far I can't tell you, for no white man has ever made the trip."

"Region too unhealthful?"

"For our kind, yes. Full of little hot drafts from behind trees. And then word is passed out to your friends that the senor died of Chagres fever, with no witnesses to the contrary."

"But who does all this murdering?"

"They call them the San Blas Indians. And I shouldn't call them murderers if I were you until I'd heard the whole story.

"When the Spaniards hit these parts in the old days it was h—l for the natives. You needn't look any further than the wood cuts in any edition of Las Casas to learn that.

"The first governor of Panama, Pedrarias too, stepping past that window with that pretty trained nurse from Ancon hospital—has a million murders to his discredit, and he and the other conquistadores wiped out every native tribe but one. This outfit living in a country that is Satan's pet hothouse and soon getting hold of smuggled firearms, managed to keep their independence. They are as free today as before Columbus came over and as exclusive as Tibet before Younghusband's expedition.

"Nobody knows how numerous they are, for the census taker has never called. In appearance they are stocky little chaps not much above five feet high, with big round heads and coarse black hair.

## INDIAN YOUTH HAS TALENT

**Priest Predicts Lad Some Day Will Be Famous Artist—Has Boy's Name Changed.**

Spokane, Wash.—The Rev. Father E. de Rouge, who has charge of a Catholic mission at Omak creek, on the Colville reservation, in eastern Washington, predicts that Frank Wapato, fifteen years old, grandson of Chief John Wapato, will one day exhibit a canvas in the French academy. He says in a letter to Capt. John McA. Webster, Indian agent, that he has changed the youth's name to Pascal Sherman, for the reason that Wapato is Chinook for potato.

He is teaching the boy with a view to sending him abroad in a few years to finish his art studies under the foremost painters of the day. The boy is a native of Washington. His grandfather, now more than one hundred years of age, was one of the first friendly Indians to greet the early white settlers when they anchored their prairie schooners in the Colville country.

He was the potato king in those days and gathered many blankets, pouches of tobacco and other articles in trades with the white people. He was named Wapato John, or "Potato" John, which afterwards was twisted into John Wapato by federal officials.

**Wolves Attack Horse.**

Pierre, S. D.—Wolves, hungered by the scarcity of food, are becoming dangerous in the West River country. Johnson brothers, who live near Davison, in Butte county, had a full-grown horse pulled down by a pack in broad daylight in sight of their home. The wolves would only leave the carcass after several shots were fired.

The wolf pelts are valuable, and there is a moderate state bounty, so that it is a frequent occurrence for a settler to add considerably to his annual income through this source.

**Hard to Down.**

The likes o' that
Lest you forget,
The fuzzy hat
Is with us yet.

## FIND $57,000 GOLD THIEVES

**Officials Told by "Trusty" of Robbers of Alaska Steamer.**

Salem, Ore., Feb. 26.—Through information given Governor West by one of his "honor" prisoners, discovery of the men who robbed the Alaska steamer Humboldt of $57,000 of gold bullion in September, 1910, has been made, and $7,000 of the bullion was recovered by government secret agents.

The bullion was buried in four feet of earth not far from Salem. It is believed the officials are ready to arrest those implicated by the confession.

**Commission Rule for Boise.**

Boise, Idaho, Feb. 26.—Citizens of Boise declared for a commission form of government by a majority of twenty votes at an election.

### RIDGE ROAD

Ridge Road, Feb. 24—Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lewis are the proud parents of a ten-pound son, born Feb. 18.

Miss Lucile Reiman of Ypsilanti spent the week end as the guest of Miss Christine Ableson.

The Fowler school which recently burned is being rebuilt.

Asa Burrell has purchased a new driving horse.

### WILLIS

Willis, Feb. 24—The second number of the lecture course will be given Friday evening at the M. E. church, March 1, at 8 o'clock by an impersonator from Battle Creek.

Mrs. M. Hack and daughter Virginia and Mrs. Ed. Blackmer and daughter Catherine of Milan visited Mrs. Chas. Thompson, Tuesday.

Miss Alice Long returned home from Detroit Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Sam Gibson who has been visiting her parents for the past week, has returned to her home in Wayne.

## BENDER'S APPENDIX STOLEN

**Carlisle (Pa.) Loses Talisman Sacredly Preserved in Local Physician's Office.**

Carlisle, Pa.—Ancient and historic Carlisle, the repository of treasured relics of bygone days, has suffered some time within the last six months the loss of a memento if its former greatness that is literally beyond valuation. Efforts to hush up the loss of what has been a venerated talisman failed of their purpose today when it became known that the bottle containing the real appendix of Chief Albert Bender, pitcher for the Philadelphia Athletics, has been lost from the office of Dr. Americus R. Allen, where it had reposed enshrined in sanctity for nearly a decade.

There can be no doubt that the Chief's appendix is gone, although Dr. Allen replied ambiguously to inquiries. Though the relic was second only in local interest to the old town pump, which was rooted out of existence for purely sanitary reasons, it may be said on the authority of Dr. Allen that there was not the slightest possible objection to the continued presence of the Chief's appendix on the part of Carlisle's board of health or any other nose-poking medical institution here.

Carlisle's board of trade, the city council, officials of the Carlisle Indian school and the directors of the Hamilton Library and Museum association will confer with the object of offering a reward of suitable size for the return of the appendix in any presentable condition.

## MASTERPIECE SOLD FOR $10

**Crucifix Worth $125,000 Found at Spanish Rag Fair at Catalonia.**

Madrid.—A beautiful carved ivory crucifix, which was purchased for the sum of $10 at a rag fair in Rous, Catalonia, 25 years ago, has been discovered to be one of the finest carvings of Leonardo da Vinci.

Ten years ago the purchaser left this crucifix with her other possessions to her daughter, wife of the deputy, Senor Mayner. No great value had ever been attached to the object, except as a souvenir, until some weeks ago, when a person who was visiting the house offered $500 for it.

Senora Mayner refused to part with the crucifix, and she also rejected a further offer of $75,000 from an antiquarian who had heard of the incident and examined the crucifix. A third offer of $125,000 is now said to have been received from an American collector.

## GIVES HIS BODY TO SCIENCE

**Dr. Button Wishes Nearest Medical Society to Get Corpse—Killed Wife and Self.**

Livingston, Mont.—A note left by Dr. C. E. Button, who shot and killed his wife and then drank poison and shot himself, was found here. The note requested that his body be given to the nearest medical society for dissection.

Dr. Button came to Montana from Chicago, where he formerly was assistant to Dr. Nichols Senn, the noted surgeon, who died in 1908.

Mrs. Button, who was a music teacher, is survived by a mother in Michigan.

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**Bibles in Persia.**

The American Bible society has been at work in northern Persia for 70 years. For 17 years prior to 1896 it had its own agent, but since that time has worked through the missionaries of the Presbyterian church in Uramia, Tabriz, Teheran, Hamadan and Resht. The political disturbances there have of course interfered with the progress of the work, and, still further, the importation of Persian and Turkish Scriptures has at times been prohibited. Yet the circulation of the Scriptures has been continued, and the last annual report shows 773 copies distributed at Resht and Teheran. This report contained a letter from the Rev. Mr. Doomboorajian, reporting that during the last ten years he has been able to sell 5,400 copies of the Scriptures in 17 different languages, the greater part in Persian, traveling more than 2,500 miles, and meeting in each year one thousand different persons with whom he has had religious conversations.

**Old Volume Sold.**

Bunyan's copy of Foxe's "Book of Martyrs" was offered at auction at Messrs. Sotheby's rooms in London recently. There were only two bids, and the book was finally bought in at $3,000. The vendors were the trustees of the Bedford Literary institute. The book was to have been sold in London last May, the institute being in financial difficulties. It was expected to realize from $40,000 to $50,000. At the last moment, however, the attorney general intervened in order to ascertain whether the trustees were empowered with the right to sell the book, and it was withdrawn from the sale. After investigation the attorney general came to the conclusion that the sale could not be withdrawn, and consequently the book came under the hammer. A first edition of Walton's "Complete Angler," published in 1653, at 35 cents, fetched $3,750.

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**Telegram That Saved India.**

In connection with the Durbar, a museum of Mogul relics has been arranged, which contains, among other objects, the telegram which illustrates Montgomery's great saying, "The electric telegraph saved India." This is the famous telegram dispatched by Brendish on May 11th, 1857, which gave the news of the rebellion to the north of India, and enabled Lawrence and Edwardes and Nicholson to take steps for the disarmament of regiments on the verge of revolt, and to make those brilliant arrangements for the relief of Delhi by which—and probably by which alone—the mutiny was crushed out, and Delhi once more returned to her British allegiance.

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| Hogs, dressed | $7.50–$7.75 |
| Spring Lambs | $6.00–$7.00 |
| Veal Calves | $6.50–$8.00 |
| Cows | $2.50–$4.00 |
| Steers | $5.00–$6.00 |
| Heifers | $4.50–$5.50 |
| Hens | 11c |
| Chickens | 12½c |
| Turkeys | 18c–20c |

**Produce**
(Corrected by H. D. Wells' grocery)

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| Dairy Butter, lb. | 27c |
| Eggs | 33c |
| Honey, dark | 12c |
| Honey, light | 15c–18c |
| Potatoes | $1.00 |

**Ypsilanti Grain Market**
(Corrected by Washtenaw Huron Mills)

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| Oats | 49c |
| Wheat, No. 1 white | 89c |
| Wheat, No. 2 red | 91c |
| Rye | 88c |

**Hides**
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| No. 1, cured, | 12c |
| No. 1, green, | 10c |
| No. 1, cured Bull | 10c |
| No. 1, green Bull | 8½c |
| No. 1, cured Veal Kip | 13¾c |
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**Resources.**

| | | |
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| Loans and Discounts | $656,493.91 | |
| Overdrafts, secured and unsecured | 1,214.91 | |
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation | 100,000.00 | |
| Other Bonds to secure Postal Savings | 10,000.00 | |
| Bonds, Securities, etc | 400,315.13 | |
| Other Real Estate owned | 42,000.00 | |
| Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Tust Companies, and Savings Banks | 3,807.34 | |
| Due from approved Reserve Agents | 101,676.15 | |
| Bills in Transit | 26,843.90 | |
| Exchanges for Clearing House | 585.84 | |
| Notes of other National Banks | 1,690.00 | |
| Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels, and Cents | 448.12 | |
| Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz: | | |
| Specie | $52,904.30 | |
| Legal-tender notes | 36,038.00 | 88,942.30 |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation | | 5,000.00 |
| Total | | $1,439,017.60 |

**Liabilities.**

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| Capital stock paid in | $100,000.00 |
| Surplus fund | 100,000.00 |
| Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid | 29,428.62 |
| National Bank Notes outstanding | 98,900.00 |
| Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers | 284.51 |
| Individual deposits subject to check | 161,062.46 |
| Demand certificates of deposit | 596,229.64 |
| Savings Accounts | 351,543.17 |
| Postal Savings | 1,569.20 |
| Total | $1,439,017.60 |

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss:
I, F. L. Gallup, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
F. L. GALLUP, Cashier.
Correct—Attest:
D. L. QUIRK, JR.,
C. E. KING,
T. W. McANDREW,
Directors.
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# NEWS FROM OVER THE COUNTY

## SALINE

Saline, Feb. 24—Francis Gould was an Ann Arbor visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Fish and daughter Luella spent Tuesday in Manchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Feuerbacher are moving into the house with Mrs. Feuerbacher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Clough, where they will remain until their new house in completed next summer.

Mrs. G. L. Parsons and Mrs. C. M. Alber spent Monday in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Monroe of Adrian were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Fitzgerald of Ann Arbor spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sela Fitzgerald.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hamlin of Ann Arbor were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Hamlin.

Charles Johnson of Ypsilanti was in town Saturday.

Little Miss Martha Bond entertained several little girls Saturday afternoon, the occcasion being her 7th birthday.

Miss Hazel Morris spent last Thursday and Friday with friends in Ypsilanti.

Miss Addie White of Ann Arbor was the guest of Mrs. John Collins last week.

Mrs. Leonard Bassett of Detroit has been visiting Mrs. Cynthia Fish.

Bert Toliver and Arthur Day spent Saturday in Detroit.

The Ladies' Bible Study class of the M. E. church met Monday evening with Mrs. C. O. Woodbridge.

Godfrey Ottmar spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weissinger.

Prof. Scott's dancing class postponed their lesson from Monday evening until Friday evening when they had a Washington party.

The funeral of Mrs. John Finkbeiner was held Tuesday at 11 o'clock at the St. Paul's church. Mrs. Finkbeiner died Saturday night after an illness of about ten days.

Mrs. Clara Leonard is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. David Russell of Willis.

Harrison Bassett and son Clifford Bassett, both of Detroit, were in town Saturday.

Mrs. Herman Josenhans and daughter, Charlotte, have been visiting Mrs. Fred Cramer, of Detroit.

Richard Scherdt of Chicago visited Saline relatives recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Monroe of Galsburg, Ill., are spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Abner Monroe and other relatives.

Mrs. Kasmaier of South Saline entertained quite a company of ladies at a "Rag Bee" Wednesday afternoon.

Harry Pilbeam of Ypsilanti was in town Sunday.

George Ross, who has been spending the past four weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ross, returned to his home in Cleveland, Wednesday.

Albert Gross and Miss Thema Scherdt were married Thursday, Feb. 15, by Rev. Wittbracht at the St. Paul's parsonage. They left immediately for Canton, Ohio, where they will visit relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Gross will reside on the Gross farm in Freedom township.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Neithammer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Schneering and family.

Rev. and Mrs. Irving T. Raab were entertained Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Miller.

Dr. A. E. Mummery was in Ann Arbor, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rothfuss of Clinton called on Saline relatives Sunday.

Ernest Mangus of Cone spent Sunday with his cousin, Jay Gould.

Lucile and Frieda Theurer visited their cousin Bernardine Theurer of York from Friday till Monday.

Francis Gould of York spent Saturday and Sunday in Morroco with his sister, Mrs. P. H Squires.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Boettner and Mr. and Mrs. Will Kinsley attended a birthday surprise party at the home of Fred Kalmbach of Lodi, Tuesday.

Several carloads of stock were shipped from here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Teuffle spent several days last week with relatives in Ypsilanti.

Miss Gertrude Zahn spent part of last week in Ypsilanti with her cousin, Gertrude Maulbetsch.

Mrs. Webb Depuy and two daughters, Winifred and Marion, were Ypsilanti visitors Saturday.

Helen Humphrey has been ill with tonsilitis.

M. H. Hogan of the Ypsilanti Normal was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rose Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Tree entertained Mr. and Mrs. Cade of Port Huron on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gleason of Ypsilanti were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Zahn.

Mrs. Sophia Kleversaat returned to Ridgeway Sunday after spending several months with Mrs. Webb Depuy.

## DIXBORO

Dixboro, Feb. 24—Miss Esther Duris attended the Teachers' meeting in Ann Arbor last Monday. She returned to her school at Lapham's, Tuesday.

Messrs. Packard, Blanchard and Barnes of the U. of M. conducted the morning services at the church Sunday morning.

The D. L. C. are preparing for a play to be given in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Waterman of Ypsilanti visited at P. L. Townsend's over Sunday.

Ben Campbell has sold his farm to Ben Zeeb who will take possession this spring.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nanry spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Forshee in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. John Shankland visited friends in Ann Arbor the first of the week.

The week old girl of Mr. and Mrs. DeWolf died Tuesday morning and was taken to Hamburg for burial.

A sleigh load of young people from Ann Arbor came last Tuesday evening to the home of Mr. John Quackenbush, where the evening was spent with games, music and dancing.

Mrs. Maude Lemen returned Thursday from a visit with her daughter at Milan.

Miss Mary Keedle and Mrs. Frank Bush visited Mrs. P. L. Townsend last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Galpin are still ill with grippe.

## WILLIS

Willis, Feb. 24—Mrs. Horace Moffit of Milan visited her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jones.

Wilmer Steidle of Milan was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Owens at Rawsonville.

Mrs. George Shannon and son Robert has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones at Wayne.

C. E. Jones was a Milan caller on Monday.

## SOUTH YPSILANTI

South Ypsilanti, Feb. 24—The W. C. T. U. contest will be held at the Friends' church Friday evening.

Miss Bessie Foley spent Saturday and Sunday of last week with Miss Ellen Gould.

Mrs. Rhoda Derbyshire, Mrs. Sarah Cleaver and Mr. and Mrs. George Moore spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Gray.

Mrs. Charles Newton of Ypsilanti is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ira Fuller.

Miss Grace Binford and Miss Bessie Foley were Ypsilanti callers one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Tuttle visited Sunday with the latter's sister near Rawsonville.

Miss Lillian Gould spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gould.

Mr. and Mrs. Forbes Mason left Friday evening for Detroit where they expect to make their home.

Mr. Benjamin Leggett of Rochester, N. Y., is a guest of his brother, Wm. Leggett.

Here is a message of hope and good cheer from Mrs. C. J. Martin, Boone Mill, Va., who is the mother of eighteen children. Mrs. Martin was cured of stomach trouble and constipation by Chamberlain's Tablets after five years of suffering, and now recommends these tablets to the public. Sold by all dealers.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss.
At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on the 10th day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.
Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of
**Orville N. Conklin, deceased,**
On reading and filing the duly verified petition of Charles W. Mansfield, grantee, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Charles W. Mansfield or some other suitable person, and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed.
It is Ordered, That the 9th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office he appointed for hearing said petition.
And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Ypsilanti Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Washtenaw.
(A true copy)
EMORY E. LELAND,
Judge of Probate.
DORCAS C. DONEGAN, Register.
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## FOUND MEN WHO HAD DOG FACES AND BIRD BEAKS

**German From Africa Also Tells of Race That Stands on One Leg.**

Dr. Carl Kumm, African explorer and scientist, will lay evidence before the heads of the National Geographical society at Washington that he has discovered men with the faces of dogs and of birds living in the heart of the dark continent.

"I have proof," declared Dr. Kumm, "that I have found negroes with the faces of dogs. They spoke in a low guttural bark not unlike that of the canine. They live by clans and their mode of life is not unlike that of the stone age.

"In another part of Africa far from the haunts of white men I discovered a tribe of negroes who ran about like storks on one leg. Their other leg was never used, and they carried it bent or drawn taut. These men live in a section of the country where there are many pools and ponds of water.

"In still another part of Africa there are negroes whose faces are virtually like the beak of a bird. They live in trees."

## BIBLE READ IN 18 HOURS.

**Sixty Readers In Relays Go From Cover to Cover Without a Halt.**

The Bible from the first chapter of Genisis to the last word of Revelation was read aloud in one of the leading churches of Pecas, Tex., without a halt in eighteen hours.

The entertainment began at 6 o'clock in the morning and was finished at midnight. Sixty readers read in turn, each giving place to another as his or her voice became husky.

The reading began with a small audience, for the hour was early, but as the day wore on interest in the novel entertainment was stimulated, and by noon the church was filled.

Throughout the afternoon and evening the congregation grew, and at midnight, when the last reader pronounced the final words, "The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all, amen," there was not an inch of vacant room in the aisles around the altar.

## FOR EXECUTIONS BY DRUG.

**Maryland Warden For Using Chloroform to Carry Out Death Sentences.**

Warden Weyler of the Baltimore state penitentiary, noted as a prison reformer and disciplinarian, has suggested to a committee of the legislature the administration of chloroform as a substitute for hanging in capital punishment.

A bill is now before the legislature to substitute execution by electricity in Maryland for hanging, but Warden Weyler says that chloroform is the most painless method. He would have the condemned person privately drugged in a cell, with none of the spectacular features usually surrounding executions.

The committee was impressed with the warden's suggestion. He is unalterably opposed to executions taking place in the state prison because of the effect upon the prisoners.

THE FIRST GRAY HAIR SIGN OF AGE

EASY WAY TO PRESERVE NATURAL COLOR OF THE HAIR AND MAKE IT GROW.

A harmless remedy, made from common garden sage, quickly restores gray hair to natural color. The care of the hair, to prevent it from losing its color and lustre, is just as important as to care for teeth to keep them from discoloring. Why spend money for cosmetics and creams to improve the complexion, and yet neglect your hair, when gray hair is even more conspicuous and suggestive of age than wrinkles or a poor complexion? Of the two, it is easier to preserve the natural color and beauty of the hair than it is to have a good complexion.

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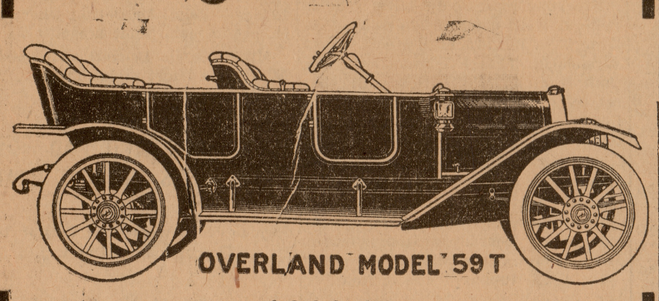

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# Society News

**Calendar for Tuesday, Feb. 27, 1912**

Degree of Honor, Red Cross Room, Masonic Temple.

Hamilton Whist Club, Mrs. Bert E. Cook, Adams street.

Happy Go Lucky Club, Mrs. Cummings, 705 Emmet street.

Lenten service, 4:30 p. m., St. Luke's church.

**Rural Calendar for Wednesday, Feb. 28**

Washtenaw Arbor of Gleaners, 8 p. m., Superior town hall.

**Junior High School Party a Success.**

The party given by the juniors of the high school at the Country Club Saturday evening was a great success. The young people were chaperoned by Dr. and Mrs. Quillin. Forty couples were present. The hall was artistically decorated with bunting and college penants and banners. A pretty feature was the class emblem in colored lights which occupied a prominent position. Miss Grace Quinn and Miss Myrtelle Rogers of Detroit were out of town guests.

**Entertain for Out-of-town Guest.**

Prof and Mrs. M. S. W. Jefferson will entertain a small company of guests at their home on Thursday evening at the close of the lecture at Normal hall in honor of the speaker, Ellsworth Huntington, Professor of Geography at Yale University.

**D. of H. to Meet Tuesday Evening.**

A meeting of the Degree of Honor will be held in the Red Cross room of the Masonic Temple, Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. A number of the grand officers will be present, also a number of guests from Ann Arbor.

**Gives Dinner Party.**

A six o'clock dinner was given by Stanton D'Ooge to sixteen of the junior boys and girls, Saturday evening. After the dinner party the guests attended the junior party at the Country Club.

**Stars Meet This Evening.**

A special meeting of the Eastern Star will be held at the Masonic Temple this evening. An informal dancing party will follow.

Miss Mary Gardner has returned from a few days visit at her home at Brooklyn.

Warren West spent the week end with friends at Coldwater.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Wortley are enjoying the ocean and the ozone with the crowds at Seabreeze, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Richardson who came to Ypsilanti in December are moving to Adrian.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Freeman returned home Saturday from an extended trip through the south.

Rev. Dr. Coler of Ann Arbor is a patient at the bath house.

George Meyers, who has been at Alberta, Canada, for the past three years, arrived Saturday to visit his parents, Mr. an dMrs. Joseph Meyers.

Miss Ada Merriman of Detroit was home for the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Merriman.

The Misses Cora and Lou Beebe of Salisbury, Md., were the guests of their aunt, Mrs. U. Chamberlain, of Babbitt street last week.

Fred Showerman of New York City is visiting his brother, Frank Showerman, in this city.

Miss Myrtell Rogers of Detroit, formerly of this city, is visiting Ypsilanti relatives.

E. D. Matthews is in Chicago on business.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hubbell is spending a short time with her brother, John Witherell at DeWitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Youngs spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Youngs, of Ypsilanti township.

A son was born Wednesday, Feb. 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hewitt of River street.

The Misses Lydia and Ina King spent the week end guests of relatives and friends at Royal Oak.

Miss Marie Short of Manchester has been spending the past few days with her aunts, Mrs. Fred Smith and Miss Anna Gwinner.

Harold Geis of Detroit was an Ypsilanti visitor for the week end.

Charlotte Becraft of the Kappa Psi house has been entertaining her father from Watervliet.

Born, Feb. 22, to Dr. and Mrs. Howard Cummings of Ann Arbor, an eight and a half pound son. Mrs. Cummings will be remembered as Miss Lou Braisted of this city.

Miss Margaret Schumacher of Grove street was called to Liberty Center, Ohio, Sunday by the death of her grandmother, Mrs. Baerley.

H. J. Deitz of Battle Creek is spending a few days at his home in this city.

Senator Frank Newton and Representative H. C. Rankin left Sunday for Lansing to attend the special session of the legislature.

Mrs. W. L. McCullough went to Detroit to talk about Cuba before the Scovell Memorial Christian Endeavor. She found there a very prosperous society and a large attendance upon the meetings.

Dr. Addis Leeson will go to the County Sunday school convention at Stony Creek Friday and speak on the subject, "The writers of the four gospels."

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Dolbee went to Detroit to attend the funeral of George Dolbee today.

Rev. Wm. Owen preached at Rawsonville Sunday afternoon. On the afternoon of Saturday he gave an informal talk at the Haydon home and both he and his wife sang very pleasingly some Indian songs.

The Roger Crippen sale, which was advertised for today, has been indefinitely postponed.


## SHATTERED NERVES

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## RELIC OF MAINE MAY BE BROUGHT TO U. OF M. MUSEUM

Ann Arbor, Feb. 26—Ann Arbor may be one of the cities to secure a relic of the ill-fated Maine blown up in Havana harbor March 15, 1898. The hulk has been raised and is being cut up for distribution in the form of souvenirs. It will be necessary for the city to pay the cost of transportation.


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## SUNDAY CHURCH BRIEFS

Sunday at St. Luke's Sunday school a very interesting part of the program was the representation by Miss Jessie Woolsey of the aborigines of New Zealand. She was dressed in the costume of a Maori girl and told of some of the conditions of the natives of New Zealand and of the wonderful change that had been brought about by the influence of Christianity in the past two generations. She spoke of the wonderful government and civilization that New Zealand enjoys today. The entire talk was very enjoyable and credit is likewise due to Miss Alida Clark who has done the necessary coaching. Other such exercises are contemplated for the near future.

Dr. Leeson of this city and Dr. A. W. Stalker of Ann Arbor exchanged pulpits Sunday morning. Dr. Stalker spoke here on "The Moral Value of War."

Rev. Wm. Owen spoke at the Baptist church Sunday morning in a very interesting manner on his work in india, where he has labored ten years, and to which field he returns with his wife in the spring.

The last number of the missionary stereopticon lectures was given Sunday night at the Epworth League. It treated of the social problems and was given by Webster H. Pierce. It dealt with the problem of the Chinese and the colored people and the people in the slums.

A class in mission study to take up study of the book, "The How and Why of Missions," was organized by Miss Alexander on Saturday last at St. Luke's church house and will be held under her direction on each Saturday during Lent. Miss Alexander conducts a similar class every Friday in Ann Arbor.


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## CHURCH BRIEFS

At the Presbyterian church Wednesday evening at seven o'clock there will be a meeting held preparatory to communion. This will be followed by a meeting of the Session of the church to receive members. After this will occur the annual meeting of the church to elect three elders. The three retiring elders are J. L. Hunter, W. B. Arbaugh and E. A. Lyman.

The mid-week service in the Congregational church will be in the interest of the Sunday school and conducted by Rev. James W. White. The subject will be "The dynamics of the Sunday school." Prof. W. P. Bowen and others will follow with brief remarks.

The Woman's Auxiliary of St. Luke's will meet at the church house on Thursday and be addressed by Miss Grace Fuller, Dean of Women at the Normal College, on "The girl of today, her aims and ideals."

The Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian church will meet with Miss Harriet McKenzie, Emmet street, on Thursday evening and continue the study of "The Conservation of National Ideals."

Instruction in religion and the rudiments of the German language by the pastor of the German Lutheran church, Rev. H. C. Fenker, will begin Saturday morning at 8:30 at Luther Home.

On Thursday will occur at the parsonage the annual experience social of the M. E. Foreign Missionary society. There will be a program and refreshments and it is an open meeting.

The mission study class of St. Luke's will continue the study of the book, "The How and Why of Missions," with Miss Alexander next Saturday at the church house.

The Congregational Foreign Missionary society will meet with Mrs. C. W. Childs, 506 Congress street, on Thursday.

## INTERESTING ART PIECES

EXHIBIT AT SHEEHAN HOME IN ANN ARBOR AROUSES MUCH INTEREST.

Ann Arbor, Feb. 26—The colonial art loan exhibits now being held at the home of Mrs. John V. Sheehan of East Huron street are advantageously shown in this noble old house. The members of the Sarah Caswell Angell chapter wore on the opening day colonial costumes of great beauty. They wore beauty patches and had powdered hair. Three glasses used by Liszt were exhibited, also the neck of an oil bottle from the forum at Rome.

Among other interesting objects are an infant robe worn by King Edward VII and a huge pitcher showing the Coopers Arms, a priceless tureen of willow ware, an Enoch Woods piece made in 1817, very ancient Japanese pottery and a piece of old Mulberry china, a string of gold beads of 1749, a willowware double warming plata 250 years old, a bonnet of the Louis XIV style, a book of sermons on the Holy Virgin Mary over 400 years old and a walking stick of the year 1513, a cardinal's ring of the 16th century, a Chinese meat platter 125 years old, a pitcher of Imperial Sevres owned by Napoleon, and a fan which once belonged to Ann Allen, wife of one of the first settlers of Ann Arbor.

## YPSILANTI MAN JOINS DETROIT REAL ESTATE COMPANY

F. E. Quigley of this city and Nelson B. Freer of Detroit have joined the staff of the representatives of the realty firm of Parker, Schunk and Fry, Detroit. Mr. Quigley has assumed the management of the east side, while M. Freer will represent the firm in the North Woodward avenue district.

Mr. Quigley has been in the real estate business in Ypsilanti and has served as official court reporter at Washington, and as executive secretary to the governor at Lansing, and as secretary of the state pardon board.

Mr. Freer is a graduate of the law department of the University and for the past nine years has been active in North Woodward avenue realty operations.


This is the season of the year when mothers feel very much concerned over the frequent colds contracted by their children, and have abundant reason for it as every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality and paves the way for the more serious diseases that so often follow. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its cures, and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all dealers.


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Shoulder Pork, whole or sliced, 10c lb.
Shoulder Pork, trimmed....12½c lb.
Pork Loins, Chops or Roast, 14c lb.
Pork Loins, fat on.....11c lb.
Fat Back Pork, fresh or salted, 10c lb.
All Pork Sausage, bulk....12½c lb.
All Pork Sausage in casings, 14c lb.
Side Pork, pickled or fresh, 12½c lb.
Nice Sugar Cured Hams, whole or half ..... 14c lb.
Breakfast Bacon, bone out slabs, 16c lb.
Our own make All Pork Lard, 12c lb.
Lard in 50-lb. cans.....11½c lb.
Head Cheese & Liver Sausage, 10c lb.

Please do not forget my high grade GOLD STAR BUTTERINE—the only rich butter flavor. 1 pound, 23c lb.; 2 pound rolls, 22c lb.; 10 pound orders at 21c lb.

SWIFT PREMIUM OLEOMARGARINE, 2 pound rolls, 23c pound.

OYSTERS, solid meats, 40c quart, 20c pint.

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